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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International Application No.)
PCT/FR99/00609 of)
Nadia TERREN et al.) Group Art Unit: 1619
Application No.: 09/423,974) Examiner: A. Berman
International Filing Date: March 17, 1999)
National Stage Entry Date: November 17, 1999)
§ 371 Date: January 5, 2000)
For: USE OF A SILICONE SURFACTANT OF)
ALKYL-DIMETHICONE COPOLYOL TYPE)
FOR PREPARING SOLID WATER-IN-OIL)
COSMETIC EMULSIONS AND RESULTING)
SOLID WATER-IN-OIL EMULSIONS)

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action dated September 17, 2001, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendment and remarks. The period for response has been extended two months to February 19, 2002 (February 17 being a Sunday and February 18 being a federal holiday) by the accompanying petition and fee.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 47-74, 81, and 95 without prejudice or disclaimer.

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